

DETECTION OF HIV-1 BY NUCLEIC ACID AMPLIFICATION

ABSTRACT

Nucleic acid sequences and methods for detecting HIV-1 nucleic acid (LTR and *pol* sequences) in biological samples by detecting amplified nucleic acids are disclosed. Kits comprising
5 nucleic acid oligomers for amplifying HIV-1 nucleic acid present in a biological sample and detecting the amplified nucleic acid are disclosed.